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Scratches, Greased Heel, Thrush, Galled Spots from any cause, heal up in from two to three applications, and you can work the horse every day, and you can cure him at the same time. It will take out all inflammation in a few moments.

There is no remedy on earth that equals Whittier's Liniment for

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NO. 11 - 15-10-17



## CITY DEPARTMENT.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce MARTIN FORSTMYER as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce HENRY W. DAVIS, of Long Creek township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

REFRIGERATORS, Baby Carriages and Bird Cages, the finest and cheapest in the city, at E. D. Bartholomew & Co's.

PAT ROONEY next Saturday night.

FACT, Milan's new process bread has no superior.

24-dtf

MAON county is not suffering for rain much as she was a few days ago.

HOOF SKIRTS, the latest styles, made to order, on short notice, at Goldburg's, West Wood street.

19-dtf

TE-NEX-INE.

The grand jury will probably investigate the Davis-Johnson shooting scrape.

THE best double lounge in the market is now on sale at P. B. Provost & Son's furniture store.

dtf

PURCHASE good groceries at Niedermeyer's, on the mound.

THERE were but ten Athenians at the meeting at the high school building Saturday night, and an adjournment was taken to May 15th.

MILAN's bread is always fresh and pure and sweet.

14-dtf

THERE are no entertainments of special note booked for this month after the Little Five-King grand concert, on Friday evening next. The sale of reserved seats will commence to-morrow morning, 9 o'clock.

Hose REEL with 50 feet three-fourth inch 3-ply Standard Hose, Hose Nozzle and Coupling, complete, for \$10.00, at H. MUELLER & Co's, East Main street.

May 8-3dmo

A FULL attendance of the members of the order of Good Templars is earnestly requested to be present at the regular meeting this evening, as the installation of officers is to take place.

TE-NEX-INE.

Cheez Zig-zag tobacco, clear Kentucky white filler.

dtf

TE-NEX-INE.

Buy stylish wall-paper at Abel & Locke's old established house.

SPRAGUE's Georgia Minstrels gave a magnificent performance at the opera house Saturday night to a full audience.

Had it been a pleasant evening the hall would doubtless have been packed. Billy Kersands and James Bland are great in all they undertake, and the support is excellent.

THREE first-class brush hands wanted immediately.

Myer & Son, April 28-3dmo

V. H. PARKS has at his agricultural rooms a full line of Buggies, such as phaetons, side-bar and elliptic spring, open and top buggies, spring wagons, etc., all A. No. 1. No auction shoddy work, but first-class, and warranted so. Call and see them before you buy.

March 19-3dmo

H. C. TOWNSEND, the general passenger agent of the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific Railway, has our thanks for a handsomely printed and illustrated volume of 118 pages, entitled "The Tourist's Guide," which gives an attractive description of the picturesque regions traversed and most readily accessible by the Wabash and its connections. Parties desiring copies of the Guide, can obtain them on application to K. Karwood, the Decatur agent, either personally or by letter.

ABEL & LOCKE offer great bargains in rich carpet goods, and invite their many customers to call and inspect the elegant display.

PIMPLES, blotches and humors are very common, and can be thoroughly cured with a few bottles of Bromoline. Sold by Decatur druggists.

4-d&w1w

TE-NEX-INE.

THE Illinois State Sunday school convention will be held at Galesburg on the 11th, 12th and 13th of this month.

Moody and Sankey will be there, and delegates from all parts of the state will attend and take part in the good work. The P. D. & E. road will sell tickets to delegates at one fare for the round trip. The C. B. & Q. will charge one and one-fifth fare.

TE-NEX-INE.

FIRST three-fourth inch 3 ply Standard Hose, Hose Nozzle and Coupling, complete, for \$7.50, at H. MUELLER & Co's, East Main street.

May 8-3dmo

WHY suffer with such a dreadful cough and cold. For 25 cents you can purchase of your druggist a bottle of Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup, and your cure is certain. Sold by Decatur druggists.

4-d&w1w

FOR BARGAINS in Baby Carriages, go to April 14-dtf J. M. SPOOKER & Co's.

REDUCE your shoe bills by buying of Barber & Baker.

Ask your grocer for the celebrated Morrisonville Flour, Harrison's Best.

May 4-d&w1w

CHAIRS and Seats for the porch and garden, and adjustable chairs, for \$1.50 each; just the thing to set in under shade trees, etc.

ASBRY & ANDREWS.

May 6-d&w1w

TRY the Leon Isaac's Steel Pen; every one perfect. Sold only by J. M. SPOOKER & Co.

[Apr 14-d&w1w]

COME and see brand new baby buggies for \$3.50, at Asbury & Andrews.

May 6-d&w1w

LACE Time and Fichus, in new designs, just received by Linn & Scruggs.

21-d&w1w

**BATONNAGE** and Sunday night's Decatur was visited by one of the most violent rain and thunder storms that we have been called upon to note. The amount of rain fall was simply enormous, and the incessant flashes of lightning were truly fearful. At about 9 o'clock on Saturday night lightning struck a stack of straw south of the city, the property of the Decatur Baggging Company, and though rain was falling plentifully the straw burned rapidly, lighting up the northern part of the city most brilliantly. The firemen turned out in response to the alarm, but when it was learned that it was a straw stack on fire the boys turned back and put up the "mashens."

MAY 18th, 19th and 20th, the benevolent ladies of the city will manage a grand fair and festival at the tabernacle for the benefit of St. Mary's Hospital. The ladies held a meeting on Saturday last, and reported that they had met with great encouragement on their rounds, and it is confidently believed that the proposed affair will be one of the most successful yet given. The ladies will hold another preliminary meeting at the opera house on Thursday afternoon at 8 o'clock, and all who feel an interest in the success of the hospital are urgently requested to be present.

THE lightning rod on the tall spire of the First M. E. Church caught a stroke of lightning on Saturday night, between 10 and 11 o'clock. The bolt it appears went skipping down the star copper-covered rod until it reached a piece of zinc on the roof against which a portion of the rod rested, when the bolt left the rod and perforated the zinc in five places and tore off a wide patch of the slate roof, causing the water to drip through into the entrance to the church.

A SAD accident took place at Niantic, on Friday last. A number of school children were in the out house on the school ground, when the floor gave way, and eight girls fell into the vault, which contained about two feet of nauseating stuff. All were speedily extricated by the teacher, John Braden, and the girls lit out for their several homes as speedily as possible. One little girl was completely submerged, but was pulled out in time to save her life.

BISHOP SEYMOUR, of Springfield, conducted religious services at St. John's Church on Sunday, preaching three fine discourses, one in the morning, one during the afternoon, and another in the evening, each time having a large congregation to hear him. He confirmed about 80 converts to the Episcopal faith at the evening service, four of whom were adults.

SUPR'S GASTMAN is in receipt of a letter from Miss S. Alice Judd, stating that her father died on the day she started for Nebraska in response to a telegraphic summons announcing his dangerous illness. She did not reach his side in time to see him alive. The many friends of Miss Judd in Decatur will deeply sympathize with her in her sad affliction.

SUNDAY was Children's Day at the Baptist church, when the pastor delivered an excellent sermon, appropriate to the occasion. The front seats were occupied by the children, and the rostrum, altar, pulpit and stands were handsomely decorated with beautiful blooming plants and cut flowers. The songs selected were taken from the Sunday School books.

THE meeting at the railroad depot yesterday was well attended, and an interest has been awakened among railroad men which we hope will culminate in the establishment, in Decatur, of a Railroad Y. M. C. A. and reading room, where railroad men and their families can meet as a class.

AN incipient fire in a bakery near the Union depot on Saturday evening at about 7 o'clock, called out the red jackets, but their services were not needed, as the flickering flame, caused by a coal of fire popping out of the oven on to the floor, was soon squelched.

JUDAS C. B. SMITH, of Champaign, opened the May term of the Macon county circuit court this afternoon at 1.30 o'clock, pursuant to law, and the first business which engaged the attention of the court was impeaching the grand jury.

LET it be remembered that to-morrow night the ladies of the Baptist church will give a grand fair and festival at the tabernacle, to which everybody is most cordially invited. See ad. in another column.

REV. G. S. ALEXANDER, of Monticello, delivered two excellent discourses at the First M. E. Church on Sunday. He is one of the most fluent preachers we have ever heard, and made himself heard and plainly understood by everybody in the congregation.

REN HOWARD, the colored barber, who was stabbed on Friday evening by Sam Sears, was pleased to report it thought to be out of danger. Sam is still in jail awaiting an examination, which will be had as soon as Ren is able to be up and about.

THE stormy weather choked off the temperance meeting at the tabernacle Saturday night, though there was a fair attendance present. It was no money outside that it was thought best to adjourn.

THE Georgia Minstrels opened in St. Louis yesterday for a week. The company went down on Conductor Morgan's train Sunday morning.

Water Works Department.

Sec. 5. All water mains are due and must be paid quarterly in advance, and if not paid within fifteen days after same become due, 10 per cent. shall be added thereto for the expense of collecting the same.

6-dtd

New and handsome Ingrain and Brussels Carpets, just received by Linn & Scruggs.

21-d&w1w

**Secretary Night's Shooting Scrape.**

Sunday morning the report that Berry Johnson had been shot and killed the night before, near the "haunted house" south of the county bridge, was the subject of much sensational gossip and varied speculation. On investigation it was ascertained that Johnson had been shot, but his death is yet to be recorded. There are several conflicting stories about as to where the sanguinary encounter took place and who did the shooting. Johnson and his brother claim that the somewhat notorious "Constable" C. C. Davis did it under the following alleged circumstances: Johnson had been up town and got to drinking. He started for home late in the evening, passing Weber's beer hall on the way. One account is that when he stopped at this place, Bill Ward, Mag Lawson and Van Higgins were with him, and that the whole gang started across the bridge in a wagon. It was then a little after 9 o'clock. As Johnson told the story last night, when he arrived at the "haunted house" he went down to the stable on some unknown errand, and while there he says Davis came down from the house swearing at him for intruding on his premises. The war of words waxed warmer and warmer, until Johnson says Davis drew his revolver and fired at him, the ball striking a pass book he had in his breast pocket and glancing off. Davis, it is claimed, then fired again, the 32-caliber cartridge entering Johnson's left breast near the nipple and passing through his body, coming out under his left shoulder blade. Johnson ran to his home at Mrs. Hatch's place, about 100 yards away, and fell down, bleeding profusely. Dr. E. W. Weems was summoned to the wounded man's assistance as soon as possible, and the doctor did what he could for him. This noon Dr. Weems called on Johnson at his home and found that he had discharged about half a gallon of blood during yesterday, and that the young man is certainly in a very precarious condition, it being next to impossible for him to live 48 hours. Johnson and his relatives believe that he will recover, because he slept last night and feels comfortable to-day, but the doctor entertains a different opinion. This makes the third time Johnson has been seriously injured—the first time some years ago when he got into a difficulty about a woman, and again a few months ago when Lawyer McKel moved him in the side with a knife on South Franklin street, from which injury he did not recover for several weeks. So far no arrests have been made, as no warrant has been issued. Probably no one will be arrested unless Johnson dies, in which event a coroner's jury will make an investigation of this somewhat mysterious case, and recommend the arrest of the supposed murderer.

**The Little Concert.**

As has been announced, Little Litta supported by a company of first-class artists, will appear at the opera house in a grand concert on next Friday evening, May 14. The company is composed of the following distinguished artists: Mlle Litta, M'ne Rive-King, the brilliant pianist; M. F. Dulcken, the well known accompanist; Mr. George A. Conly, for several years the principal basso of the Strakosch Grand Italian Opera Company; Mons. Fischer, the celebrated Belgian Violoncello Virtuoso, and Mr. C. Fritsch, the distinguished tenor, formerly with the Pappenheim German Opera Company. The programme will consist of fifteen selections including the musical gems of the most noted composers, affording the citizens of Decatur an excellent opportunity of attending one of the finest concerts ever given in this city. The sale of reserved seats at \$1.00 each, will open at Curtis & Ewing's to-morrow morning. General admission, 50 and 75 cents.

**Terra Cotta.**

For terra cotta garden vases and chimneys pipe call on O'Neill's, south side of the park.

may10dmo

**Special communication of Ionic Lodge No. 312, A. F. & A. M., this (Monday) evening at 7 o'clock, for work in the 3rd degree. Members of Macon Lodge No. 8 and visiting brethren cordially invited.**

By order of J. S. McCLELLAND, W. M. T. H. COLEMAN, Sec.

**Take care of your stoves in summer and they will take care of you in winter. Stoves taken for storage until wanted for use in the fall, and thoroughly cleaned of ashes and soot and kept from rusting, by May 10-22w**

R. LITTLE, Court House Block.

**Horses Wanted.**

E. B. Pratt will buy horses at 37 North Church street, Decatur, Ill., from May 15th to May 26th, 1890, of the following description: Good sound single drivers, matched, carriage and draft horses, from 5 to 9 years old, weighing from 1,000 to 1,600 pounds.

E. B. PRATT.

May 9-d1w w2w

**COLORADO SHIRTS, white shirts, collars and cuffs, &c., &c., at KEELER'S.**

**We keep everything in our line; low shoes, high shoes, big shoes, little shoes, broad shoes, narrow shoes, fine shoes or coarse shoes, and if you want any other kind of a shoe we will order it for you. We aim to please. Call and see us.**

d&w1w

**If you want the best Pastry Flour in the market, buy the Morrisonville flour, Harrison's Best.**

May 4-d&w1w

**DR. C. C. HATT says: Twenty years special practice with children has led me to test Rinehart's Worm Lozenges. I give them my unqualified endorsement. 25 cents a box. Warranted. Sold by A. J. Stoner and J. T. Hubbard.**

6-d&w1w

**JUST RECEIVED, an immense stock of rattan chairs, new styles and patterns. Large chairs at about half the usual price, at**

April 1-d&w1w ASBRY & ANDREWS.

**PERSONAL POINTS.**

Dr. A. J. Wallace is home from Kansas.

Hon. Lawrence Weldon, of Bloomington, was in the city to-day, on legal business.

Belleville Advocate, 4th: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Linn, of Decatur, are in the city visiting their numerous friends.

Judge Smith arrived in the city from Champaign this noon, and took rooms at the St. Nicholas.

David L. Hughes, of Decatur, will serve as a petit juror in the United States district court which convenes at Springfield in June next.

Attorneys E. P. Vail, of this city, and A. G. Harris, of Macon, who left for St. Joe, Mo., five days ago, to take several important depositions in a pending lawsuit, arrived home last night, sober and happy.

Miss Rebecca J. Sterrett, the accomplished dramatic reader, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Decatur for the past two weeks, departed for her home at Taylorville on Saturday afternoon.

Will L. Ferguson has just completed the new and beautiful iron fence around J. W. Race's residence. He has the agency of this and a number of other styles of wrought iron fences. Parties wishing a good fence for a low price will do well to call on Mr. F., corner of Water and Cerro Gordo streets.

8-4d

E. B. Pratt, who is agent for Seth Pratt & Co. at Litchfield, Conn., has, during the last sixteen months, bought and shipped several hundred fine horses to them, and by so doing brought a good many thousand dollars to this and adjoining counties. Mr. Pratt advertises for more horses in another column.

Joseph Kaufman, of Chicago, spent Sunday in Decatur, the guest of his partner in business, "Cheap Charlie." He is dead in love with the firm's Decatur store, and says he has no fault to find with the general arrangement of the new establishment. He left for Litchfield this afternoon, and will take breakfast with his wife in Chicago to-morrow morning.

We find the following news of Denas and his doings in the Worthington (Ind.) Times, of May 7th:

D. A. Barrackman has recently purchased two lots in this place of Thomas Maddux, of Cincinnati, and is going to build a business house on them this fall. He intends putting in a full line of hardware when finished. Mr. B. is having a splendid trade in agricultural implements. He is a thorough business young man, and we hope he will be successful in his new business. He is making quite a stir in the north end of town.

**Death of James S. Parker.**

On Saturday afternoon we received a telegram from Major C. F. Emery announcing the death of Mr. James S. Parker, which took place at Macon on the 8th inst., at 1 p. m. Mr. Parker was a native of Ohio, and had resided in Austin township 23 years. Three years ago he moved to Macon with his wife and unmarried daughter, Lydia. The cause of his demise was a complication of diseases, resulting it is thought from neglect of proper attention. Deceased was a member of the Protestant Methodist Church at Macon, represented Austin township in the county board during the war times, and was in every respect a public spirited, active and industrious citizen. He was one of the wealthiest farmers of the county, and owned property valued at \$125,000 to \$150,000. He leaves a wife and five children, William, Mackintosh, Sarah, wife of Anthony Stoughtenborough, John S., and Miss Lydia. Mr. Parker's age was about 55 years. The funeral will take place on Tuesday next, at 2.30 o'clock, from Ridge Chapel, 34 miles west of Macon, and in case Rev. W. H. Jordan, who has been sent for, does not arrive, Rev. A. H. Bates will conduct the services.

**For Sheriff.**

Martin Forstmyer is to-day announced as a candidate for the Republican nomination for sheriff. It is hardly necessary for us to introduce Mr. Forstmyer to the people of Macon county, where he has lived so long. He has held the office of sheriff two terms, and no man ever labored harder to fulfill all the requirements of the position. He has not only been an efficient and laborious officer, but a stalwart Republican as well, whose voice and vote and influence could always be depended upon when the interests of the party were involved. He has long been known as a liberal-hearted, generous man, a good friend and a kind neighbor, and has hosts of friends wherever he is known. If nominated he will be elected, of course, and be a good officer again as he has been in the past.

**DIED.**

At her home in Macon, on Sunday, May 9th, at 4 p. m., Miss MARIA D. LANEY, aged about 25 years.

Deceased had been afflicted with consumption for a number of years. She is a daughter of Mrs. Robert Gray. May 8, 1879, Maria's brother John died, and for the past two months at different times the young lady stated that she would die just a year from her brother's death, and her prediction, it will be observed, was nearly verified. She was a most excellent young lady, and died in the Presbyterian faith. The funeral will take place on Tuesday at 8 a. m. Rev. Mr. Bates officiating. The remains will be interred in the Ridge cemetery west of Macon.

**Wanted:**

All kinds of old furniture and household goods, in exchange for cash. Will pay more than any other house in the city. New furniture, glass and queensware at prices to defy competition. We have no rents to pay, and can give our customers the benefit of the same. Give me a call before either selling or buying elsewhere.

Houston, East Side City Park, old Revere House.

April 16-dtf

**If you want good bread buy at Milan's bakery.**

24 dtf

**Friday evening** last the usually quiet burg of Macon had a genuine sensation. Edward Humphrey, a lad of 19 years, didn't go to school, but ran away and downed passed the afternoon in some back yard or barn. The Macon News says: Ed. Humphrey's home in the evening and asked his mother if she thought his father would whip him for his truancy. Being answered in the affirmative, he at once went to the paint shop, near by, and deliberately began to fix up a small rope by which to end life's career. When the work was completed he seems to have prepared for the "final leap" with great deliberation. He laid off his hat on the stairs on which he stood, slipped a noose over his head and swung off into what he supposed to be eternity; but, fortunately, a small child was in the shop at the time, and as soon as she saw his desperate purpose was going to be executed she ran for dear life to the house and informed Mrs. Humphrey, who hastened to the shocking scene just as he was turning dark in the face. She raised him up, and by the assistance of one of the children who happened to be near, relieved him from his desperate position, which would otherwise have soon terminated life.

Ed. is all right now; but the impit' of the rope is plainly visible on his neck.

**New York, June 17, 1879.**

311 East 74th St.

Messrs. MORGAN & ALLEN, 59 John St., New York City.

GENTLEMEN:—Please send by express one dozen "Constitution Water." The article is selling well. Two young ladies of our town, who have suffered much from those complaints which nearly all of those are more or less subject to, have been entirely cured by it. Their names will be given to any lady wishing to make inquiries of them in person.

JAMES T. HIGBY, Druggist.

Sold by W. C. Armstrong.

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**Philadelphia Lawn Mower.**

The best in the world, for sale by V. H. Park

1001 [ap29d3mo]

Leave orders for Math's crystal ice at S. T. Keeler's Hat Store, No. 20 East Main street [May 3-dtf]

**Homeopathic Remedies**

And McCormack Bros' Family Guide Chart, for sale at Dr. A. J. Stoner's drug store, Decatur, Ill. [Nov 7-d&w1w]

**AT THE TABERNACLE!**

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY EVE, THE 11th INST.

The Ladies of the BAPTIST CHURCH will present an

**ENTERTAINMENT!**

With many attractive features, to the appreciation of which we ask the attendance of every one for an hour or two to listen to MUSIC BY A BAND led by Prof. Crocker, to Recitations and other exercises by the Sunday School classes.

**SINGING and PIANO MUSIC,**

and perhaps a famous Convention. An exhibition of

**WORKS OF ART!**

**TWO OR THREE TELEPHONE INSTRUMENTS WILL BE IN FULL OPERATION FOR THE USE OF ALL.**

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**COFFEE FOR ALL.**

Ice Cream, Strawberries

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**ADMISSION, at the door, 10 CTS.**

**OPERA HOUSE!**

**FRIDAY EVE, MAY 14.**

**Musical Attraction Extraordinary**

**MARIE-LITTA**

—AND—

**RIVE-KING!**

**GRAND CONCERT COMPANY.**

EVERY MEMBER A STAR.

**MR. F. DULCKEN,**

is an Artist-Musician and an Accompanist of the first rank, and in his line has no equal.

**MR. GEORGE A. CONLY,**

for many years principal basso of the Strakosch Grand Italian Opera Co., will make his first appearance with us in Decatur, to which he met with great success with Carl Rosa's English Opera Co. at Her Majesty's Theatre.

**MONS. FISCHER,**

the celebrated Belgian Violoncello-Virtuoso, has taken the New York press and public by storm. Mr. Hazzard, the eminent critic of the New York Tribune, says: "He is one of the strongest violoncellists who has visited this country."

**MISS MARIE LITTA**

—AND—

**Mme. RIVE**

are both too well known to need any comment.

**ADMISSION—50 and 75 cents; reserved seats \$1.00. The sale of seats will open at Curtis & Ewing's on Tuesday, May 11, at 9 a. m.**

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**

BY virtue of a writ of execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the County Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Rachel E. Gallagher, administratrix of the estate of Berry H. Cassell, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Commencing at the southwest corner of block 24 (S. B. Cassell's 4th addition to the city of Decatur, thence west on the north line of said block 24 to a right of way to the south line of said block 24, thence east along the east line of said right of way to a point about 100 feet south of the southwest corner of block 24 (S. B. Cassell's 4th addition to Decatur, thence east parallel with the south line of said last-mentioned block 24 to the southeast corner of block 24 (S. B. Cassell's 4th addition to Decatur, thence south along the west line of said block 24 to the south line of said block 24, thence east to the place of beginning. Taken as property of the said Berry H. Cassell, which I shall offer at public sale at west entrance of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 15th day of June, A. D. 1891, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, with all legal and usual conditions.

This 10th day of May, A. D. 1890.

M. FORSTMYER, Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

May 10-dtf

# Great Bargains

—IN—

# NEW GOODS

800 dozen Ladies' and Gents' Linen Handkerchiefs will be opened this week and sold at half their value.

500 pieces New Prints, at 6 cents, now open 1000 dozen Ladies' Men's and Children's Hosiery, from the best goods down, to 5c a pair.

3000 pieces Handsome New Ribbons, at 10 and 15 cents, worth 20 and 30c.

Black Silks and Black Cashmeres, cheaper than you can buy them anywhere.

Bleached and Brown Muslins, at and under New York wholesale prices.

300 pieces Gingham, at 10c, worth 12c.

Table Linens and Napkins, at old prices.

Ladies' Kids, at 35c a pair.

Handsome Ruchings, Bows and Scarfs.

1000 pieces Hamburg Embroideries, at extremely low prices.

A splendid assortment of Laces and Dress Trimmings.

Imported and American Dolmans, Mantles, Circulars and Jackets.

An Elegant Assortment of

# DRESS GOODS

VERY CHEAP.

Cretonnes in very handsome styles and colorings.

French and American

# CORSETS!

in greater variety, better goods and lower prices than can be obtained anywhere.

A Large, New and Elegant Assortment of

# CARPETS!

and be CAREFUL to NOTE the FACT that we buy exclusively of the manufacturers and importers, and that in view of OUR LARGE SALES IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE, we conduct this branch of our business with very little additional expense, and therefore can afford to SELL BELOW all competitors.

# LINN & SCRUGGS.

March 15, 1890-d&w1w

WE would like to keep in the mind of EVERY ONE the fact of our stock being SUPERIOR in both quality and quantity to any in the city. Our sales are such as to enable us to offer everything NEW as fast as it comes out and at prices lower than those whose purchases are much smaller than ours. We can always offer you a "SELECTION" in ANYTHING in our line and at prices we will guarantee cannot be beaten in Illinois.

We are the SOLE AGENTS here for the celebrated "ROCKFORD QUICK TRAIN WATCHES," the standard "GORHAM STERLING SOLID SILVERWARE," as well as the "GORHAM PLATED TABLE WARE," also, "KING'S COMBINATION CRYSTAL" SPECTACLES.

We are always glad to show our Goods and have their quality and our prices compared to any in Decatur or anywhere. By giving us a call you will find OUR ADVERTISEMENT always true to the letter. Respectfully,

# CURTIS & EWING,

JEWELERS,

17 E. MAIN ST., DECATUR, ILL.

April 13, 1890-d&w1w

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March 5-d&w1w



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WHEREAS, James M. Bell and Nancy I. Bell, of the county of Macon, State of Illinois, did, on the sixteenth day of April, A. D. 1880, by deed of trust convey to Charles A. Ewing, trustee of said county of Macon, Illinois, certain real estate situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Twenty-five (25) feet of the south side of lot six (6), eight (8) feet of the north side of lot six (6), and thirty-three (33) feet of the south side of lot seven (7), thence east fifty (50) feet, thence north thirty-three (33) feet, thence west fifty (50) feet, thence south thirty-three (33) feet to place of beginning, all in block three (3) of the South Addition to Decatur, Illinois, and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section five (5), and the east half of the northwest quarter of section eight (8), in township three (3) north of range four (4) east of the third principal meridian, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to secure the payment of two thousand five hundred and no/100 dollars, payable in five hundred and no/100 dollar installments, the first of which was due on the first day of January, A. D. 1880, and for the like amount twelve months after date, both with interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from date of receipt, and upon which notes there is due this April, 23d, A. D. 1880, five thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars and ten cents (\$5,525.10).

And whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that if default be made in the payment of either interest or principal of said indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, then said trustee shall sell and dispose of said premises according to the provisions of said deed of trust;

And whereas, default has been made in payment of principal and interest on said indebtedness, and the legal holders of said notes having made application to the undersigned to proceed to sell said premises in compliance with the terms of said deed of trust;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned will, on

**Saturday, June 25th, A. D. 1880,** at two o'clock p. m. of said day, at the foot of the main stairway leading to the circuit court room, in Decatur, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the above described premises and all right, title and interest and equity of redemption of said James M. Bell and Nancy I. Bell, their heirs and assigns therein.

**CHARLES A. EWING, Trustee.**  
April 22-4td

## TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Isaac Quick and Frances Quick, of Macon County, Illinois, did, on the 17th day of February, A. D. 1878, by deed of trust, convey to Jasper J. Peddecord and George Burrows, trustees of said county of Macon, Illinois, certain real estate situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section five (5), in township eleven (11) north and range six (6) east of the third principal meridian, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to secure the payment of two hundred and no/100 dollars, payable in two hundred and no/100 dollar installments, the first of which was due on the first day of January, A. D. 1878, and for the like amount twelve months after date, both with interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from date of receipt, and upon which notes there is due this April, 23d, A. D. 1880, five thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars and ten cents (\$5,525.10).

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